



Attorney Docket No. 1359.1013

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Tadashige IWAO et al.

Application No.: 09/407,307

Filed: September 29, 1999

For: OBJECT COLLABORATION APPARATUS

Group Art Unit: 2126

Examiner: Nguyen, Van H.

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 20, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on May 20, 2003. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for the same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to June 20, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 10 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the drawings begin on page 14 of this Amendment and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this Amendment.

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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
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**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	10	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	- 3 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of May 20, 2003, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$410); 3 months (\$930); 4 months (\$1,450); 5 months (\$1,970)):

110.00

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Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

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TOTAL FEES DUE =

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